

**REMARKS**

This paper is presented in response to the final official action dated April 8, 2009, wherein (a) claims 84-87 and 142-149 were pending, (b) claim 149 was allowed, (c) claim 142 was objected to but deemed allowable in substance, and (d) claims 84-87 and 143-148 were rejected as being obvious over Harris et al.

By the foregoing, claim 84 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of allowable claim 142, and claim 142 has been canceled. As a result, claims 84-87 and 143-149 are pending.

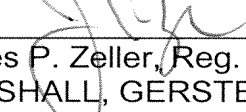
Entry of the foregoing amendments to place the application in condition for allowance is believed to be proper, and is solicited. In a telephone interview conducted initiated by the undersigned on July 2, 2009, Examiner Rosenbaum indicated his agreement to that effect.

As a result, all claims should be allowable, and an indication to that effect is solicited.

Should the examiner wish to discuss the foregoing or any matter of form, he is urged to telephone the undersigned at the indicated number.

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Respectfully submitted,

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